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CALLED AWAY SUDDENLY

DEATH OF THE RT. HON. WM. HENRY SMITH.

Great Storm on the Irish Sea—The Latest Addition to Royalty—Death of King Karl of Wurtemberg—The Irish Leadership—Other Foreign Events.

LONDON, Oct. 6.—Right Hon. Wm. Henry Smith, First Lord of the Treasury, Government leader of the House of Commons, and recently created Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, who has been very ill for some time past, is dead. He was suddenly announced today to be in a most critical condition. A conference of physicians was hurriedly called, but the distinguished statesman soon succumbed to his illness.

The deceased was the son of a London publisher and bookseller, and was born in 1825. He was educated at the grammar school, Tavistock, and in course of time became interested in the celebrated book-selling and publishing house and news agency which bears his name. In July 1865, he unsuccessfully contested Westminster in the Conservative interest, but in 1868 his candidature was renewed with success. He sat for Westminster until 1885. In 1886 he was elected for the Strand. He was Financial Secretary from 1874 to 1877, when he was appointed First Lord of the Admiralty. He went out of office with the Conservatives in 1880. He was appointed Secretary of War in 1885 and Chief Secretary for Ireland in 1886, the latter position he only held for six days, the Government falling. In Salisbury's second administration he was appointed Secretary of State for War, First Lord of the Treasury and Leader of the House of Commons. He was a member of the first and second school boards of London. The University of Oxford conferred on him the honorary degree of D.C.L. in 1870, and he was presented with the freedom of the Stationers' Company in 1880. As a mark of her special favor, and as a reward for his services, her Majesty conferred upon Mr. Smith the office of Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports.

GALES ON THE IRISH SEA.

Terrific gales prevail on the Irish Sea, and three wrecks have already occurred off Holyhead. Many exciting scenes have been witnessed as the life-boat crews set out in the midst of terrible waves to attempt the rescue of the imperilled crews of the wrecked vessels.

THE QUEEN'S LATEST GRANDCHILD.

The birth of another grandchild to the Queen has given rise to a new crop of the usual comments on the abundance of royal descendants. The Radical newspapers generally give the little one a cold welcome. The Pall Mall Gazette prints a list of forty grandchildren of Queen Victoria, and points out that there is comfort in the reflection that the succession is safe. This seems to be the only comfort the taxpayers have from the situation. The baby will, however, be no additional burden for the present to the British treasury. Battenberg and the Princess Beatrice already have a liberal allowance from parliament, and Beatrice besides has the privilege of living on Queen Victoria's bounty, as she accompanies the Queen everywhere. Battenberg, who is looked on as a mere appendage of the household, has been called the most unhappy man in Great Britain, but the assertion cannot be true, as ever since he married Beatrice he has had enough to eat, whereas in Germany he was in very precarious circumstances. The Star is even worse than the Pall Mall Gazette. It explains that whatever the danger that may threaten the State, there is no danger of failure of the succession, thanks to the German quiverful. The Stat closes with "God Save Battenberg."

THE AUSTRALIAN NAVY.

Advices from Australia say that the people are overjoyed by the arrival of the Auxiliary Australian squadron of the British navy. The squadron is practically an Australian fleet, consisting of three cruisers and one gunboat, with native Australian names. It raises Australia to the rank of a naval power, with a fleet which is without a rival in Polynesia, and puts her in a position to meet any maritime enemy likely to arise in that quarter. Every colony is anxious to welcome the squadron, which will doubless make a round of all the trading ports.

KILLED BY AN EXPLOSION.

A fearful accident is reported from Berlin. A number of workmen were engaged in repairing a gas-pipe on Markgraven Strasse, when owing to the careless handling of a light a fearful explosion occurred and six of the men were killed. The explosion wrecked the house and also set it on fire, and several persons were injured besides the workmen.

LYDIA MILLER'S SUICIDE.

Much feeling has been excited by the alleged attempt to cover up the facts connected with the suicide of the Gaiety actress, Lydia Miller, who killed herself after the failure of Lord Charles William Augustus Montague to meet her, according to appointment. Lord Charles is a brother of the Duke of Manchester, and an officer in the Yeomanry Cavalry. He has reached the mature age of 31 without having become settled in his habits, and he is a favored companion of the Duke of Clarence and Avondale, heir to the throne after the Prince of Wales. Among the rumors afloat is that Prince Albert Victor and other aristrocratic friends of the Miller girl had not treated her rightly. These rumors are met by the fact that the father of the girl is in a good position and has engaged a solicitor of standing, who will not be likely to protect the reputation of anyone who has wronged Miss Miller, who, there seems to be no doubt, was thoroughly infatuated with Montague.

DILLON AND PARNELL.

John Dillon publishes correspondence had between Parnell and himself, wherein the latter proposed that Parnell appoint two of his supporters and Mr. Justin McCarthy two of his, the four gentlemen thus appointed to form a committee whose duty it would be to distribute all the funds now on deposit in Paris for the relief of evicted Irish tenants. Parnell's reply to this offer is a refusal to agree thereto. Parnell insists that he himself in conjunction with Mr. McCarthy shall consider all claims appertaining to the distribution of the fund. The correspondence leaves matters still unsettled.

A SHIP IN DISTRESS.

The American ship Geo. Manson, Captain Cusco, from Newcastle, N.S.W., for San Diego, was spoken Oct. 3rd, in latitude 35 S., longitude 155 E., partly dismasted. The vessel speaking her tried to take her in tow, but the efforts were unsuccessful. The hull of the Manson is not damaged.

KING OF WURTEMBERG DEAD.

King Karl I of Wurtemberg is dead.

ATTEMPTED FAMILY MURDER.

Tried to Murder a Mother and Two Children in Their Sleep.

Alexander Tremblay, wife and two children have been stopping at the Pacific Telegraph hotel for the past two days. Their home is at Friday Harbor, whither they returned this morning. Mr. Tremblay tells a tale which if it be true, is of a horrible nature, and there is every semblance of truth in what he states. He says he had occasion to leave home a short time since, leaving his wife and children by themselves. He returned towards the latter end of last week rather unexpectedly, and resumed his place in the family as usual. The same night as he lay awake in bed he had a rather unpleasant surprise. prise. The door was suddenly broken open, and the form of a man rushed in, with an axe in one hand and a large knife in the other. He rushed toward the bed, in which lay the husband and wife, and with the great blade made a lunge at the place occupied by the woman. Trembaly arrested the blade, but in doing so sustained a severe cut in the hand. The midnight visitor was confronted but fled before he could be captured, leaving, however, the deadly weapons behind him in his hurry.

The man was recognized as an old fellow named Peter Tracy who lived in the neighborhood, and the supposition is that he intended to take advantage of Tremblay's absence, murder the wife and children and rob the house, because he knew that there was some money in it, though not a very large amount. Information of the affair was laid with the sheriff, but Tracy was seen no more. The Tremblay family came over here for a few days, and put up at the Pacific Telegraph hotel. Yesterday one of the children, a little girl, happening to run through the bar, she saw a man there whom she at once recognized as Tracy. The mother also saw him and went in search of her husband. Tracy saw what danger he was in, and precipitately fled. He had but just come down by the Nanaimo train, and had deposited his baggage in the hotel hall, where it now is. He was seen on the Esquimalt road this morning about 5 o'clock by a man who knew him but did not know of the above circumstances.

The family had not, while here, taken any steps towards placing their case in the hands of the police, rather leaving it entirely to the sheriff at Friday Harbor, but Sergeant Walker heard of it, and is now keeping a sharp lookout for the alleged would-be murderer.

The Hassler.

The United States survey steamer Hassler, Lieut. Delhanty, commander, came to an anchor off the outer wharf this morning, and will remain for a day or two to take on stores, etc. She is engaged in the ocean coast survey below Cape Flattery.

SEIZURE OF THE OTTO.

A STATEMENT FROM THE NAVY DEPARTMENT.

American and British Commanders Conferred—The Presidency of Chili—Massacre in Mexico—Steamers Stranded in the Ohio—Proctor's Successor.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.—The statement contained in the published dispatch from Ottawa stating that the British sealer Otto had been seized by the United States ship Mohican on account of irregularity in her papers, is without foundation. Reports received at the Navy Department from Commander Cotton, commanding the Mohican, shows that the Otto was seized August 31, for violation of the *modus vivendi*; that she was taken in Behring Sea 20 miles northwest of Unimak Pass with a full sealing outfit and 48 seals on board. Five days before the seizure was made Commander Cotton received an official letter from Commander Turner, the British naval officer at Ounalaska, stating that he considered the Otto a just and lawful capture for any vessel of war of either nation. A question arose in reference to her papers. The Otto was delivered two days after her capture to the commander and officer of Her Majesty's ship Pheasant at Ounalaska.

Proctor's Successor.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—If ex-Governor Chiney of New Hampshire is not selected to succeed Secretary Proctor, there will be a great surprise among a number of officials at the War Department. Just where these gentlemen get their information from is not known, but several of them having close relationship with Mr. Proctor express themselves as very certain of Governor Chiney's appointment. A noteworthy circumstance is the persistence with which they adhere to this belief since Mr. Proctor's return to Washington. Governor Chiney was one of the first possibilities spoken of among the army people, but as General Lew Wallace and others loomed up gossip about the former subsided. Within the last few days, however, his name has come to the front again, and as previously intimated the army people have practically accepted his appointment as a foregone conclusion.

The Chilian Presidency.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—Advices from Valparaiso, Chili, under date of October, say that as election day draws near the rumors about candidates for the office of President are increasing in numbers. Among those prominently mentioned for the office of President it is understood the most popular is Admiral George M. Montt, who, with Waldo Silva and Ramon Barros Luco, now form the widely celebrated junta de Gobierno. In fact, it is reported that he has already been urged to allow his name to be used as a candidate. No one could be selected who could satisfy all factions as Admiral Montt would. Word reached here on the arrival of the flagship San Francisco at Payta, Peru, of her orders from the American Government to return to Valparaiso, and of her putting into Callao on her return to this city. The news has been received pleasantly here. The Chilians regard her return with undisguised disfavor.

Mexicans Massacred by Indians.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Oct. 5.—John H. Parton, an American, who for the past two years has been engaged in the mining business near Metztillan, situated in the state of Hidalgo, Mexico, arrived here to-day. He brings information of a bloody Indian outbreak, which has for some time been in progress in the district of Tullamengo, in that state. The trouble is the outgrowth of a dispute between several colonies of Spaniards, Germans and Indians, the new settlers attempting to settle on the lands of the natives. Parton says that a few days before his departure a settlement of whites was attacked by Indians and nearly 200 people massacred, including men, women and children. The colonists have appealed to the government for protection, and several battalions of troops are on the way to the scene of the trouble.

Low Water in the Ohio.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 5.—Eighteen steamboats loaded with freight and carrying passengers are aground between this city and Point Pleasant, W. Va. There is but 1 foot 8 inches of water. Teams are crossing the Ohio River at dozens of places. It is estimated that the low water is causing a daily loss of $10,000.

Walla Walla Lynchers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 5.—The corporal and private who had charge of the armory at Walla Walla when the military riot took place there, in which a gambler named Hunt was lynched for killing a soldier, have arrived here. They have been taken to Alcatraz to serve out their sentences of 8 and 4 years respectively.

Mrs. Frank Leslie Married.

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—Mrs. Frank Leslie was married yesterday to William C. Kingsbury Wilde, M.A., of London. The bridegroom is a son of Lady Wilde and a younger brother of Oscar Wilde. It is a love match, and young Wilde is poor but talented.

Victor Emanuel's Tomb.

ROME, Oct. 5.—A thousand citizens marched in procession to the pantheon, yesterday, to deposit wreaths on King Victor Emanuel's tomb, where, on Friday, a number of Catholic pilgrims made an insulting demonstration while the church was crowded. A number of radicals mounted some of the altars and made speeches debouncing the Vatican and shouting "Down with the priests!"

Russian Troops on the Prueth.

BUDA PESTH, Oct. 5.—The Reuter-Lloyd company published a sensational article declaring that the Russian government is concentrating troops to an enormous extent on the banks of the Prueth. According to the story a large tract of land near Prueth is now swarming with Russian soldiers, for whose accommodation capacious huts have been erected.

GEN. DE GALLIFET.

The Brilliant Cavalry Officer who Lately Distinguished Himself.

Gen. de Gallifet, who so greatly distinguished himself in the recent man-

oeuvres in France, has had a romantic career. He is of noble family, and is, in fact, a marquis, nevertheless he entered the army as a simple private. He was born in 1830 and became a cavalry trooper in 1848. He is rich, elegant, distinguished and as gallant and adventurous at 61 as he was at 30. Since 1848, wherever French troops have taken the field, Gallifet has been with them. In Mexico he was shot in the stomach and left for dead on the field, so terrible was his wound. Thanks to his iron constitution he recovered. At Sedan in 1870 as a general of brigade he led that superb charge which drew from William I. the exclamation, "Ah! what brave fellows." He begged to be exchanged when made prisoner, promising to re-enter the ranks as a private, and served as such to the end of the war. Gallifet has commended himself to the love of Frenchmen by reorganizing the cavalry and molding it into a most formidable branch of the service. He is a member of the council of war and inspector-general of the army. He wears the cross of the Legion of Honor and a number of other decorations.

NANAIMO NEWS.

The Nanaimo Hose Team's Prizes—W. J. McGregor Banquetted.

NANAIMO, Oct. 5.—The prizes recently won by the Nanaimo hose team have been placed on exhibition at Sloan & Scott's dry goods store. The constant theme among the citizens during the past few days is the recent contest in which "our boys" played so conspicuously. They are lauded by everyone who has seen the prizes and the result has caused the most lively satisfaction. It is very improbable that the team will defend the medal next year, as they claim it is too far to travel and the expense of such a journey too great. The boys received an ovation on their arrival here and were banquetted at the Balmoral Hotel in the evening. There is some talk of getting up a subscription and presenting each member of the team with a gold medal.

MR. J. M'GREGOR BANQUETTED.

A grand banquet was given to Mr. J. McGregor, late manager of the Southfield mine, by the employees. It was also the occasion for the employees to present their late "boss" with a handsome gold watch, chain, locket and gold-headed cane in token of the esteem they hold towards him. The watch is a 3 oz. 18 karat case. Movement fine nicket, full ruby jewels in gold settings. Chronograph and repeater, engraved on the sides is the monogram and "Presented to J. McGregor, late manager of the Southfield mine, by the employees, Nanaimo, B.C., Oct., 1891."

The presentation was accompanied by a beautiful address which was responded to in a few heartfelt words by the receiver. The company present was a large one and the speeches and songs were numerous.

PROGRESS OF NEW BUILDINGS.

It is stated that St. Andrew's church will be ready for occupancy by the first of next month, and that the opening ceremony will be undertaken by the Bishop of Columbia.

The new brick building for the co-operative store will be completed by the end of the month, and many are anxiously inquiring what is going to be done with this large building.

The New V.C. Co. are having a large new frame building erected on the site where the bunkers used to be. The new building is to be used as a round house for the locomotives of the company. A large gang of men are employed to push the work to completion.

LITTLE HAPPENINGS.

The concert at Northfield on Friday night was well attended, and a good time enjoyed.

A team of horses belonging to W. Deeble cleaned out two verandahs on Saturday, and nearly killed the driver.

It is reported that nearly all the dissatisfied faction of the miners' union have paid up their assessment. This will have no effect in stopping the legal proceedings to-morrow.

A grand concert and dance will be given at St. Paul's Institute to-morrow evening.

Rev. Mr. McRae preached a powerful sermon last evening against the principles held by Mr. Putnam. His hearers were greatly impressed by his earnest pleadings.

Gold Arrives from Europe.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—The steamer La Touraine, from Havre, brought $2,600,000 in gold, and the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm $1,000,000 in gold.

Prof. W. E. Borgman, the well known electrician, late of New York, has arrived in this city and is at rooms 17, 18 and 19, Humphrey's Block, Yates street. Those who have visited him state that his treatment is very successful.

Dawson the grocer sells Extra Fine tea at 40 cents per pound. Leave a call.

CANADIAN NOTES.

Recent Events Reported From the Eastern Provinces.

The Toronto city council has voted the sum of $3000 to the Scottish regiment being formed there.

A man named Champion, an old hotel keeper, formerly of Donnybrook, hanged himself at Whitechurch.

Rev. Abbe Charles Desmazures, one of the most respected members of the St. Sulpice order, is dead. He was a native of St. Cloud, near Paris.

As a result of the recent tour of inspection made by the Canadian Pacific railway magnates it has been decided to replace all wooden trestles with steel structures.

S. J. Dixon, photographer of Toronto, who recently crossed Niagara Falls on a tight rope, was drowned in Wood Lake, near Gravenhurst, through taking a cramp while swimming.

Geo. Colby, of Toronto, was found guilty and sentenced at Belleville to a month's imprisonment for personating voters last Dominion election. Another charge against Mayor Porter of personating was traversed.

The Toronto jury in the case of Edward Hancock, charged with the murder of his daughter, returned a true bill. The trial has been postponed to the next assizes on account of the absence of an important witness.

There is much excitement in Winnipeg over two assault cases. J. Gilson and A. Chisholm, the latter proprietor of the Winnipeg barb wire works, are charged with assaulting little girls under the age of 14, and in one case less than 10 years.

Fire in Oshawa gutted Thomas' restaurant and billiard room, Butland's butcher shop, Jones & Coglin's millinery, McLean's furniture wareroom and the kitchen of the Central hotel. The loss cannot be ascertained, but will be covered by insurance.

Mr. Lowe, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, says it was not by order of the Dominion Government but by that of the municipality of Vancouver, B.C., that two Chinese lepers, recently sent to that city from New York to be shipped back to China, were sent back.

Hon. Mr. Chapleau arrived in Montreal on Saturday from Ottawa. A movement is said to be under way to boom him for the Conservative Governorship of Quebec. Chapleau is arranging for a couple of meetings for a grand rally of Conservative forces in view of the political situation in the province.

The total number of mercantile failures in the Dominion of Canada reported to Bradstreets for nine months of the current year is 1326, against 1184 in the nine months of 1890. The total liabilities this year are $11,139,000, against $10,406,000 in nine months of 1890. Assets are $4,692,000, against $5,353,000 last year.

Last evening the Earl of Fingal and the Hon. Horace Plunkett returned from a trip to the Dog Pound country. They were accompanied by Mr. G. A. Gouin, and visited the country to inspect the land in view of settling a colony of Irish immigrants. These gentlemen expressed themselves as well pleased with their trip, finding a better country than they expected, and it is thought their report will be one very favorable. They left this morning by No. 2 express.—Calgary Tribune.

L'Electeur says that Pacaud has placed himself entirely at the disposal of the royal commission, expressing the hope that it will go to work as soon as possible in order that he may furnish what he believes will be a perfectly satisfactory explanation of the transactions between himself and Armstrong, who deemed himself so little defranded that after a settlement of the Bale Des Chaleurs affair he continned his relations with Pacand and even wrote to thank him, and claiming that the provincial government lost not one cent by the transaction.

The Mail's Montreal correspondent says: "Lively times are expected when the Bale des Chaleurs Commission commences its investigation at Quebec. I am informed the necessary papers are now in the hands of the commissioners, and everything is in readiness for opening the inquiry, which is awaited with the keenest interest by both parties. There is little doubt that it will be the inauguration of a determined attempt to oust Mr. Mercier from power in Quebec. Both the Federal and local Conservatives intend to take a hand in the fight."

The Provincial Board of Health of Quebec has been notified of a serious outbreak of small-pox at Carleton, Bonaventure county. The first case broke out with a girl who was landed as a steerage passenger from the steamer Admiral, plying on the Bale des Chaleurs and gulf from Dalhousie, N. B., to Gaspe Basin. Eight other cases have since broken out in Carleton. The doctor reports that all nine cases have been fully quarantined. One of the sailors on the Admiral who caught the disease has been quarantined at Dalhousie. The steamer has been thoroughly fumigated and disinfected. The girl said she went to Dalhousie from Quebec by Point Levis, and the inspector is following up his investigation to those places and has been ordered to take any further steps which may be necessary.

L'Electeur, after referring to the fuss kicked up by the Tories over the admission that money for election contestation deposits made by Liberals, Quebec district was reached by notes signed by Pacand and endorsed by Hon. Messrs. Mercier, Langelier, Pelletier and others, says it becomes interesting and important for the public to know where the Conservatives got the money for their deposits and in this connection it charges that these deposits were made by Notary Charlebois, of Quebec, who spent none of his own money for the purpose but received it—in all about $20,000—from Sir A. P. Caron, who in turn received it from Isbester, one of the Federal Government contractors of the famous section "B" of the C.P.R. It vouches for the absolute correctness of its information and its ability to make it good, and defies Notary Charlebois to sue it for libel.

Queer Engagements.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 5.—News comes from the West that Col. Forsyth, formerly of General Sheridan's staff, has just succeeded in winning the hand of the daughter of his old friend, Dr. Dallas Bache, a Philadelphian, also in the military service, and that Miss Forsyth the Colonel's daughter, has become engaged to Dr. Bache. Each of the men is 60 years of age, and each has been a widower about the same length of time. Neither of the young women is much over 20 years of age.

Smuggling Chinese in the East.

NIAGARA FALLS, Oct. 4.—Not long ago the chief of police here received information that Chinamen were being smuggled across the border from Canada, being aided in so doing by some persons of influence on the American side. He put detectives at work, and this morning the officers arrested two men giving the names of Abram Abrahms, of New York, and James G. Muldoon, of Toronto. The prisoners had bought two railroad tickets and had subsequently joined two Chinamen who were stopping at a hotel near the depot. Muldoon had in his pocket a letter from D. Pomeroy, Deputy United States Marshal at Lockport, conveying instructions as to how Chinese may be worked across the line into the hands of Pomeroy and another deputy named Weaver. The expressions in the letter indicate that United States Commissioner Pound, of Lockport, and United States District Attorney Alexander, of Buffalo, are also implicated. The prisoners were turned over to Deputy Marshal Watts, of Buffalo, and will have a hearing on Monday.

Another Fire Trap Burns.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—A fire occurred in a five-story house at the corner of Hudson and Dominick streets shortly after 2 o'clock this morning. All the occupants with the exception of four persons were rescued with difficulty. Wm. Murphy, his wife and two stepchildren, occupied the fifth floor. Mrs. Murphy climbed through the top door to the roof with her clothing in flames. There she was burned slowly to death. Her charred corpse was found on the roof by the firemen. Josephine Ryan, a five-year old child visiting the Murphy family, was burned to death in bed. Two step-children of Murphy's, Martin and John Toughey, were severely burned, and their recovery is doubtful. The pecuniary loss is small. Katie Dunn, aged 20 years, who boarded with the Murphy's, was found in bed suffocated by the smoke. John Toughey died shortly after being taken to the hospital. The fire started in a woodshed in the basement, and swept up the elevator shaft to the top floor, where the Murphy family lived. The police say the fire was the work of an incendiary, but decline to give any reasons for so believing. The actual damage by the fire, it is thought, will not exceed $15,000.

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1:20 p.m.	Lv	72	Pt.	Townsend	Lv	11:45 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	Ar	117		Victoria	Lv	8:30 p.m.

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12:15 a.m.	Lv	72	Pt.	Townsend	Lv	11:30 a.m.
2:25 a.m.	Lv	105		Anacortes	Lv	9:00 a.m.
6:45 a.m.	Ar	121		Fairhaven	Lv	7:30 a.m.
6:10 a.m.	Ar	125		Sehome	Lv	6:30 a.m.
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GOING SOUTH. READ UP.	No. 3 Passenger Sat. and Sun.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	STATIONS.	Miles from Wellington.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Sat. and Sun.	GOING NORTH. READ DOWN.
Ar.	6.00 P M	12.30 P M	VICTORIA		8.00 A M	8.30 P M	Lv.
	6.04	12.35	ESQUIMALT	3	7.56	8.26	
	6.44	1.15	COLWOOD	11	7.16	7.46	
	7.11	1.42	GOLDSTREAM	16	6.49	7.19	
	7.31	2.02	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	23	6.29	6.59	
	7.51	2.22	COBBLE HILL	29	6.09	6.39	
	8.11	2.42	COWICHAN	34	5.49	6.19	
	8.31	3.02	DUNCANS	40	5.29	5.59	
	8.51	3.22	KOKSILAH	46	5.09	5.39	
	9.11	3.42	QUAMICHAN	51	4.49	5.19	
	9.31	4.02	CHEMAINUS	57	4.29	4.59	
Lv.	9.50 P M	4.20 P M	NANAIMO	63	4.10 P M	4.40 P M	Ar.
			WELLINGTON				

GOING NORTH. READ DOWN.	No. 4 Passenger Sat. and Sun.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	STATIONS.	Miles from Victoria.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Sat. and Sun.	GOING SOUTH. READ UP.
Lv.	8.30 P M	8.00 A M	VICTORIA		12.30 P M	6.00 P M	Ar.
	8.34	8.04	ESQUIMALT	3	12.26	5.56	
	9.14	8.44	COLWOOD	11	11.46	5.16	
	9.41	9.11	GOLDSTREAM	16	11.19	4.49	
	10.01	9.31	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	23	10.59	4.29	
	10.21	9.51	COBBLE HILL	29	10.39	4.09	
	10.41	10.11	COWICHAN	34	10.19	3.49	
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	11.41	11.11	QUAMICHAN	51	9.19	2.49	
	12.01 P M	11.31	CHEMAINUS	57	8.59	2.29	
Ar.	12.20 P M	11.50	NANAIMO	63	8.40	2.10 P M	Lv.
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THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Let of Unfinished Business Disposed of Last Evening.

A special meeting of the board of aldermen was held in the committee room at the city hall last evening to attend to unfinished business, accumulated on account of the exhibition. Mayor Grant occupied the chair and the following aldermen were present: Renouf, Munn, Robertson, McKillican, Holland, Hunter, Smith and Coughlan.

After reading the minutes the clerk presented the following

COMMUNICATIONS.

G. Winter, complaining of the obstruction around the Five Sisters block—Referred to the street committee to have the by-law complied with.

The city barrister stating that the city gravel pits must be sold on a cash basis or exchange it for other reality—Laid on the table.

Eberts & Taylor in reply to a letter from the city re the licenses for the Union club and the barristers, stating that the cases had been decided for the city in the police court and were now before the supreme court—Referred to city treasurer and city assessment committee.

Thos. C. Sorby, complaining about the city starting to build the sewers in a part of the city thinly inhabited and leaving the part of the city thickly inhabited without a sewer. He said the city promised that the sewers would be ready to carry off the water from the Five Sisters block. At present the walls of the building were being materially damaged by the water. He said the fire department had charged him for pumping out the cellar, which he asked the city to refund as he considered it was the department's duty to save the property from being damaged. The Turkish bath company are also losing money by not being able to put in their boilers. Also regarding the levels on Government street which he said effected the looks of the building—Referred to the sewerage, fire and street committees.

A. W. Vowell, stating that if the city bought the Songhees reserve from the Dominion Government, the money could not be spent on the harbor as it would have to be spent on the Indians.—Received and filed.

The Board of Trade, enclosing resolutions passed at their meeting regarding the British Columbia Immigration and Investment Company's scheme for an exhibit at the World's Fair, and also the one regarding British Columbia day at the Tacoma exhibition.

Ald. Renouf moved and it was seconded that the Council co-operate with the Board of Trade to induce as many people of Victoria as possible to attend the Tacoma exposition on Saturday and that the council attend in a body.—Carried.

The management of the exposition extending an invitation to the council to visit Tacoma on the excursion on Saturday.—Accepted with thanks.

It was decided to appoint a committee to interview the Provincial Government re the exhibits for the Chicago fair. Ald. Hunter, Munn and Renouf were appointed to see what steps the Government intend to take regarding the exhibit.

City Assessor Northcote stating that Mr. R. Finlayson had been assessed for 3 57-100 acres too much.

Ald. Renouf said he had been undercharged for 4 years and if the city refunded the assessment on the five acres they should charge him for the undercharge.—Referred to the assessment committee to report.

E. M. Johnson asking the city to pay $120 for rent on the ground on which they have a lot of rock piled on Wharf street.—Referred to street committee.

Secretary of the Board of Fire Underwriters asking that the city buy a chemical engine for the fire department. Also saying that Westminster already had one.—Referred to the fire committee.

Wilson, Wooten and Barnard asking permission for A. Lewis to put up a wooden building covered with galvanized iron on his property on Yates street.—Referred to the fire wardens and building inspector.

Mr. Hebler regarding the census, stating that they were working night and day to have the census ready by Wednesday night. Already they had a total of 25,014 people. The enumerators did not take the names of the strangers attending the fair. The school children were taken to check the enumerators. There are about 20,894 white people. The surname christian name and address of each citizen will be given.

The request of the R. T. Williams' Directory to take the pictures of the aldermen and corporation officers on Wednesday evening was granted.

A. G. Gallager asking for water service on the continuation of Belcher street where he wished to build a residence but could not do so for want of water. Referred to water committee.

Several petitioners asking for a sidewalk on the east side of Phoenix place, Beacon Hill Park. Referred to street committee.

Thos. Cliffe and 11 others, asking that Niagara street be graded. Referred to street committee.

REPORTS.

The park committee reporting that they could not recommend a drain being built through the park.

The market committee recommending that Braden & Stamford's tender for lighting the market by combination gas and electric light be accepted. Also that the city treasurer be instructed to insure the building in the following companies, giving each $5000: B. C. Insurance Co., Guardian, Commercial Union, Liverpool and Globe, and Union Assurance Co.

Several aldermen commented on the fact of the committee recommending the contract be awarded for lighting without asking others to tender.

Ald. Coughlan said the goods, Thos. Day's, offered could not be beat, but he thought, nevertheless, all the dealers in the city should be given a chance.

On motion that portion of the report was referred back and the committee empowered to call for tenders for the necessary fixtures.

Ald. Renouf complained that there were some insurance companies that had not a bit of insurance on city property, while others had large amounts on it.

Mayor Grant said he had instructed the treasurer to distribute the insurance among the companies as near as possible. The part of the report regarding the insurance was also referred back.

The members of the Northwestern Review Company thanking the city for their courtesy to them. Received.

BY-LAWS.

The real estate assessment by-law was read a second time.

Ald. McKillican moved that real estate be taxed 1½ per cent, one-sixth off if paid within the time specified by statute.

Ald. Smith stated that on enquiry he had learned that the people of the Sound cities were taxed about 1¼ per cent. and they had to build their own sidewalks and streets.

The motion of Ald. McKillican was seconded and carried.

Ald. Robertson moved that improvements be taxed ½ of 1 per cent. Ald. Holland seconded the motion.

After some discussion it was decided to tax improvements ¼ of 1 per cent.

Ald. Coughlin said there would be general dissatisfaction if improvements were not taxed. The people of Westminster had a clear illustration of it. The people do not think of the consequences. All the cities on the continent tax improvements.

The bank credit amendment by-law was read a second time.

Ald. McKillican said the city engineer had gone to another office to have a map of the cemetery made, incurring a debt of over $400. The city is paying the city surveyor a good salary and he is supplied with a good staff.

Mayor Grant considered it was an extraordinary bill.

On motion the clerk was notified to request the surveyor to explain the matter.

Ald. Renouf complained of the number of engineers employed. There were three engineers and another to be appointed for the water works.

Mayor Grant said he had received a note from Joshua Davies offering to sell the Deluge engine house by auction on the same terms as the gravel pits sale.

The street committee was censured for laying a two-foot sidewalk after a resolution had been passed against it.

Council adjourned at 10:30.

PASSENGERS.

Per str. City of Kingston from the Sound—J C Dooley, C Carson, B Preston, T Honymart and wife, Miss Vernon, Miss J Vernon, Miss A Vernon, M J Rhine and daughter, W S Rose, Timothy Murphy, Betsy Murphy, H W Kent, A Marshall, J S Strowhson and wife, Thomas Edwin, Miss Edwin, W A Fosden, Mrs James Eckersly and 3 children, Mrs Shillas, L Banks, M Lenz and wife, S W Baker and wife, J McLean, J M Haley, E A McKitchen, Miss Driscoll, J Reilly, C Frilback, Mrs Roberts, M Penman and son, Jno Rankin, Miss Scott, T O Yockel, H Beckley, E Dale, T W Cora, W McFarlane, Thos Jones and wife, Geo Stewart, Jas Caine Jno Earley, G H Gates, J H Johnston, F Butler, W R Hausen, W N Decese, H A Beattie.

Per Steamer Rithet from New Westminster—W A Rogers, J W Ogilvie, J McKenzie, R E Palmer, J A Kirk, Misses Coleman 2, Mrs Harrison, J L Henderson and wife, Mrs Smith and child, Jno Keen, S Reid, J Holden, T O Townley, J T Wilson, E Wander, Geo Green and wife, C Friend, C Gabriel, T Sturdy, Mrs Deacon, J H Macguire, W T Noble.

Per steamer Olympian, from the Sound—Mrs Williams and 2 daughters, W White, F G Packard, F W Balger, Miss Winters, L Bennett and wife, T Moore, D Loomer, T Delaney, Mrs Ridfield, Aaron Kinnel, K L Sanford, C W Gibbons, J E Davis, B Gardner, Miss Carpenter, G Jorgensen, W Stewar, A Paulson, W J Chapman, Miss Garnett, H Rothchild.

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se21-30t CLOSE & JOHNSON.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

CHARLES PETERSON has by an indenture under seal, bearing date 2nd October, 1891, cancelled and revoked all and every authority and power alleged to have been given by him to Abel Douglas.

And by the same deed Thomas George Rayner of Victoria is appointed and confirmed as the sole and only duly authorized attorney-in-fact of the said Charles Peterson.

Dated this 5th day of October, 1891.
THORNTON FELL,
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THE SEALING INDUSTRY.

The seal hunting business has for the past few years attracted considerable outside capital to Victoria, and a few of the fortunate ones have certainly made handsome profits from their investments, but the outlook would indicate that the business is in danger of being overdone. Last year the fleet did not number 30 vessels. This season over 50 vessels were in the trade from this port, and already many new schooners have been ordered from the east, and the keels of several more have been laid in Victorian yards. If the increase goes on it will not take a great while before the fleet will be numbered by hundreds. Such a rapid enlargement of the fleet will reduce individual catches to such an extent that there can be no possible profits. Sealing does not, like any other business, increase in possibilities as it grows. The animals have to be hunted for, and if made wild by numberless hunters, the difficulties of capture increase. Again, the sealing question, as far as Behring Sea is concerned, is not yet settled, and judging from the past it is safe to assume that it will not be finally arranged for a year or more yet. Governments move slowly, and much time will surely be taken up before the final solution of the closed sea and close season questions is decided. In the face of all this it is evidently unwise for investors to embark in sealing unless they are prepared to be content with little or no profits, with a strong probability of loss. Taking the average of this year's catch, the number of seal to each schooner is much below that of the year before, and if the fleet is increased this average is bound to decrease still further. A pause should be made in the matter, and before taking stock in a new sealer, the capitalists should carefully consider the facts. If this is not done, financial embarrassment is sure to be the result.

Those not directly interested in the industry can not form any idea of the expense of running a sealer. At a low estimate a sum of $14,500 is necessary to pay the bills for a year's work, and owing to the present state of the sealing laws, the chances of getting that much money back are slim indeed. Next year the schooners will, in all probability, be hampered by restrictions on time and places for sealing, and catches will be smaller. Another difficulty to contend against, and not a slight one, will be the lack of experienced hunters. A schooner can be fitted out in a first-class way, and without hunters she is a useless piece of timber. The fleet this year was not fully supplied with experienced men, as the supply of good hunters has not kept pace with the demand. These facts should not be lost sight of when the big profits of sealing tempt the investor.

THE QUEBEC EXODUS.

Rev. Abbe Dugas, of Montreal, is in despair over the tendency of the French Canadians to emigrate to the States in preference to Western Canada. The Abbe would like to see his compatriots helping to fill up the Canadian Northwest instead of working in the New England factories. In a letter to La Minerve he bewails the fact that the population of Quebec Province has decreased in the past ten years, and adds: "It is true that the same evil has been found to exist in the Province of Ontario, but in that province settlers have been sent to Manitoba, while we have simply been filling American manufactories; 5000 of our families have crossed the frontier during the past year, and we have hardly sent 450 Canadians to Manitoba." The Rev. Abbe and his brother priests are no doubt concerned for the welfare of their church as well as for that of the country when they look upon the exodus of their parishioners. When the latter transplant themselves to new England they become part and parcel of a large industrial population, where they are practically lost to the view of the priest and become careless in religious matters. Moreover, each party so transplanted acts as a magnet on others, who are in turn drawn from the quiet pastoral life of Quebec to the bustle and glare of the factory towns. The movement has been immensely accelerated by the McKinley tariff, which imposes very heavy duties on the coarse farm products of the habitant. Hay, scrubby horses and cattle and other articles of comparatively large bulk and small value were furnished in large quantities to New England by Quebec, but they will not bear the heavy duties now imposed and leave any profit for the farmers. The latter have no capital to enable them to change their methods of farming, and therefore they must go to the wall. Abbe Dugas' figures are likely to be accurate, for the church is well enough known to keep a close watch over its flock. The loss of 5000 families from one province in one year is a serious one, and should be sufficient to convince even the least thoughtful that a change in our trade relations must be sought for in earnest if the country is to be given a chance for progress.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

An Ottawa dispatch states that Nicholas and Michael Connolly are in that city, along with their book-keeper, Martin F. Connolly, who appears to have gone back to the firm's employ when there was no longer any object in his keeping out of range of the investigation. The contract for the Kingston graving dock will not be finished for another month, so the brothers will not be proceeded against, as per Mr. Abbott's alleged programme, at least for that interval. Nicholas says he is not afraid of prosecution, anyway, and very likely he is right.

Another constitutional question is now before the Ontario Court of Appeal. Some time ago the Chancery division of the High Court of Ontario rendered a judgment declaring that it lies within the powers of the Ontario Government to grant pardon for all felonies and criminal acts which are punishable under the laws of the province. The Attorney-General of the Dominion entered an appeal from this judgment, and argument has been heard before the Court of appeal. The issue, of course, is one of interest to all the provinces. Premier Mowat has so far been victorious in every contest he has entered into on constitutional points, and, apart from the importance of the question of law involved, it will be interesting to watch the measure of his success in this new case.

A peculiar device was used recently to help McKinley in his election contest in Ohio. It was stated most circumstantially that a purely American tin mill had been established at Piqua, Ohio, that McKinley himself had been there and witnessed the operation of making tin plate from American steel, and from tin taken from an American mine. This statement was printed conspicuously in the organs of the McKinley party as proof conclusive that the tin plate industry had at last become firmly established on American soil, and that to McKinley belonged the glory. It now turns out that a fraud was perpetrated, for the proprietors of the great Piqua tin plate works have been forced to admit that the wonderful performance which they invited Mr. McKinley to witness was that of rolling steel plate—not an uncommon one in this country—and dipping them in a pot of melted lead which Messrs. Hicks and Batelle had borrowed from the superintendent of the Piqua water works. Devious are the ways of protectionists in every country.

HON. JOHN ROBSON AND TEMPERANCE.

TO THE EDITOR:—Some of your readers may possibly be under the impression that the Hon. John Robson is a firm friend of the temperance cause. Those who remember the introduction by that honorable gentleman of the act respecting the sale of intoxicating liquors on 22nd March, 1888, and that he had either to get the Lieutenant-Governor to recommend the bill by message and stand or fall by its principles, or drop the bill, will no doubt also remember that he dropped the bill.

Again, a school teacher in a certain place, who had come to the school drunk, was notified in March, 1890, by his trustees that if he again came to the school in that condition he would be dismissed. The teacher did again offend about the end of May, and the school trustees on the 2nd June, 1890, notified him that he was dismissed. They also, at the same time, notified the Educational Department, of which the Hon. John Robson is the head, giving full particulars. The following reply to the Secretary of the School Board from the Superintendent of Education speaks for itself:

VICTORIA, 4th June, 1890.

DEAR SIR,—Permit me to acknowledge receipt of the 2nd inst., conveying notification of dismissal of Mr. ——, as teacher of the school in your district. Kindly inform me whether the board dismissed Mr. —— summarily for gross misconduct, or gave him the usual thirty days' notice. An early reply will oblige. Yours truly,

S. D. POPE,
Supt. of Education.

The following extract from the reply of the trustees shows that Dr. Pope's quibble was detected: "As gross misconduct is not defined in the School Act, nor in the rules and regulations laid down in addition thereto, the board is not prepared to say whether Mr. ——'s acts of intemperance should be characterized as gross misconduct or not. The board has dismissed Mr. —— after due notice was given him, because he rendered himself unfit on more than one occasion to discharge his duties as teacher by the use of intoxicants."

A Minister of Education who would cancel one teacher's certificate for alleged insolence in a letter marked private and confidential, written when he was not a teacher, and who allows another teacher to retain his certificate who had on more than one occasion rendered himself unfit to discharge his duties as teacher by the use of intoxicants, can hardly be called a very strong friend of the temperance cause.

FACTS.

SALE OF THE CITY LOTS.

TO THE EDITOR:—I fear our city fathers have not duly considered the sale of the corporation property known as the Spring Ridge gravel pits. It is true they are authorized by the ratepayers to do so, but it is probable that not one in ten of the ratepayers know or cares anything about the matter. But when men are chosen by election to look after the present and future welfare of the public it is their duty to carefully consider every question on its bearings as regards not only the present but the future. They are elected to look after the interests of the people and to study those interests thoroughly and intelligently before taking action. They have undertaken to do so, and if they fail they are untrue to their position and have no business there. We are injured by crude and half cooked legislation, hurried through to suit a present necessity, regardless of the future, and often because the majority (not having time to study such questions) clamor for it. Such was the giving away of the best part of our noble island to be locked up in the claws of a monopoly, debarring all enterprise and throwing a heavy extra taxation on the people of this province for all time, and all for an imaginary benefit, that has not and never will be realized except by a very few. For these reasons the gravel pits should not be sold:—First, there is not a square or recreation ground in the central part of the city. Beacon Hill is on one side and too far away to be convenient for the most of the people, and especially children, to visit often. If our aldermen will enquire a little they will find that in most of the largely populated cities recreation grounds are purchased at heavy cost. Such grounds are purchased in many places chiefly for children's play grounds, thereby saving doctors', druggists' and undertakers' bills and many afflictions. I know it will be said there is plenty of room here, we are not troubled with too dense a population, but that is only the present view. The future view points to the fact that the land in question will be in the centre of a thickly populated part of the city. Then is it better to have a square there or none? The city owns the land now, and why not hold it? And then again, why should the city sell the only gravel, sand and boulders ground they have? A great number of new streets will have to be opened up in the new extension, and the expense of rock for those streets will come too high. A large supply of gravel will be required to be used on the greater number of the streets, as the travel will not be heavy and gravel will do for many years. If the lots must be sold they should have been disposed of about a year ago, as a far better figure could have been realized for them then than now. It is also certain that their value will yet increase, for there will surely be a better demand for property in a year or two than there is just at present. Let the city, and not a gang of speculators, get the benefit of the unearned increment. Therefore I hope our aldermen will reconsider the question and withdraw the lots from sale, and they may rest assured future generations will bless them if they do so.

W. A. B.

HON. J. H. TURNER.

Accepts $250,000 for the Aid of Crofter Immigration to B.C.

A dispatch received from London says: Hon. J. H. Turner, Minister of Finance and Agriculture of British Columbia, now in that city, announces that his government will accept $250,000 of the $750,000 offered by Mr. Goschen, Chancellor of the Exchequer, for an experiment for the settlement of British Columbia by crofters. Annexation to the United States, Mr. Turner says, has no place in the practical politics of the colony. People are engrossed by the prosperity brought by the Canadian Pacific Railway, which is rapidly diverting trade from the United States into Canadian channels.

MR. DECOSMOS OBJECTS

To the District Telegraph Co.'s Wire Being Near His Buildings.

Mr. Stewart is in receipt of the following epistle from the Hon. Amor De Cosmos:—

To the Manager of the District Telegraph Co. (so-called):

SIR,—I beg leave to request you remove within 24 hours the wire stretched by your company across the front of my property, Nos. 86 and 84, Government street, and nearly touching the same; otherwise I shall take prompt measures to abate the nuisance. Yours, etc.

The wire in question does not go nearer than about two feet of Mr. De Cosmos' building on one side, and about ten feet on the other, and in both cases runs straight away from the building, while a "live" electric light wire runs across the face of one of the buildings, and a couple of "dead" wires are attached to another building. It is well known that Mr. DeCosmos objects to all electric wires in or on his buildings, but Mr. Stewart cannot see how his wire comes within this objection. He is confident that he has acted within the requirements of the charter, and will refuse to remove the wire accordingly.

Several carloads of new styles antique oak bedroom suites, sideboards, extension tables, hall racks, etc., just received by Weiler Bros.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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THE CITY AND DISTRICT

To Sporting Men.

Horse timers from $9 to $300, at Jackson & Mylius', 76 Government street, Colonist building.

Look at This.

Pianos tuned and regulated, 93. W. C. Windebank, 45 Blanchard street. Satisfaction guaranteed.

A Bargain.

Two houses on street car extension, Saanich road, $1100 each, terms $100 down and $50 every three months, at 6 per cent. Lee & Fraser, 11 Trounce Avenue

No Meeting.

There was no meeting of the gentlemen interested in a university yesterday as proposed, there not being a quorum. The meeting will be held in a few days.

Great Reduction.

John McCallum, merchant tailor, is offering for the next 30 days, tweed suits $25 to $30, fine worsteds, $40 to $45, pants, $7 to $12. Call and examine my stock at 43 Broad street.

Inspected the Park.

Beacon Hill Park was paid an official visit by the park committee and commissioners yesterday afternoon. It was decided to thin out the shrubbery and make other small improvements around the park.

For China and Japan.

The steamship Batavia, of the Upton Line, will arrive from Nanaimo this afternoon and leave in the evening for China and Japan with a good load of freight and a number of white and Chinese passengers. She has been loading coal at the Black Diamond city.

An Oversight.

In our report of the exhibits at the Fair, we omitted to mention T. W. Fletcher's exhibit of the Bush & Gerts Pianos, over which was placed a challenge for competition against any pianos in the fair, for tone, touch and general excellency. The popular Domestic and New Home Sewing Machines need no comment.

Leaders of Their Class.

In the third division of the Victoria High school the first ten pupils for September were: Frances Amelia Smith, Edna Almira Rugg, Walter Edward Adams, Janet Sinclair, Julia Louisa Johnston, Jessie Maud Mallette, Douglas Campbell Tuck, George William Andrews, Florence May Southcott, and Emily Browne.

The Protestant Orphans.

The ladies committee of the P. O. Home thankfully acknowledge the following donations for September: Milk, Mr. Rogers, Mrs. D. Harris and Mrs. Jack; clothing, Mrs. Hutcheson, Mrs. Goodacre, Mrs. B. R. Seabrook Mrs. Christie and Mrs. Dr. Milne; Boots (5 pairs) Mr. A. B. Erskine; apples and pears, Mrs. Warlock.

Grain Exhibits for Chicago.

When Prof. Saunders, of the Experimental Farm, was in the city he made arrangements to have a lot of British Columbia grains sent to the World's Fair, Chicago, with the Canadian Agricultural exhibit. Some of the exhibits from next year's shows in different parts of the Province will be forwarded to Ottawa, to be sent to Chicago.

Thomas Martin's Death.

Mr. Thomas Martin, of the Grove, Esquimalt road, one of the pioneers of '58, died at his residence yesterday afternoon. He was a native of Newcastle-on-Tyne and aged 76 years. He was a prominent Free Mason and a member of several societies. The funeral will take place at 3:30 on Thursday afternoon from Masonic Temple, Douglas street.

Clerk's Union.

The organizing committee of the Trades and Labor Council have called a meeting of the dry goods, grocers and other clerks of the city to be held on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock for the purpose of forming a clerks association. The clerks in a large number of stores have been working very long hours and they hope by organizing to have the hours shortened.

A Failure.

To sell what goods we want to at auction. We shall offer at private sale at auction prices or lower, a quantity of household goods in walnut, oak, ash, and cherry sets, mattresses, pillows, comforts, crockery and glassware, stoves and stove pipe, mirrors, clocks and many other useful articles. Auction sale, Wednesday, Oct. 7th, 11 a.m. Private sale every day at new store, Pierre block, Douglas street, near City Hall. *

In Aid of the Hospital.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Jubilee Hospital are advertising a grand ball in aid of the hospital, to take place at Assembly Hall on Thursday, the 29th of October. The ladies are hard workers and will make the ball one of the events of the season. The management of the affair is in good hands and it will certainly be one of the largest and most fashionable gatherings ever held in the city. The dance tickets are $5.

Bound Southward.

The steamer City of Puebla, Captain Debney, sailed for San Francisco this morning with the following cabin passengers from this port: R. P. Rithet, Mrs. Dunsmuir, R. A. Walker and wife, C. G. Henshaw, F. L. Knight, M. Rounds, Mrs. H. De Fremery, Mrs. E. A. Hardisty, Mrs. A. J. Bunster, W. F. Wheeler, W. S. McDonald, Captain W. Petit, Miss L. Scott, Mrs. Bagnall, Miss Eberts, Mrs. T. Deasy, E. H. Fletcher and wife, J. A. Fletcher and wife, Mrs. M. Moore, E. Gardiner, R. D. Carter and wife, J. Van Bramer.

The Saanich Exhibition.

The North and South Saanich Agricultural Society, like the other similar associations of the Province, has been making unusual efforts this year to surpass all its previous shows. The exhibition, which opens at Saanich on Thursday the 8th inst., will be open for two days this year, the 8th and 9th. On the first day the prizes will be awarded and on Friday, the second day, there will be a programme of sports, including horse racing. The track is being put in first class condition and several good races will be the result. On Friday evening the usual ball will be held. All Victorians know what the exhibition will be like and they know that when they go out there they will be made thoroughly at home.

Arrived O. K.

A fine stock of Razor Strops; a complete line of shaving materials, etc. Pocket Cutlery, Scissors, Table Cutlery direct from Sheffield, at Fox's, 78 Government street. Call and examine. *

$3.00.

Save one dollar and sign for Williams' Official Directory edition 1892 for $4.00, payable on delivery of book. Advertisers are advised to hasten their orders for this valuable medium. P.O. box 485, Victoria, B.C. mws

Gathering of Saanich Indians.

There will be a large gathering of Indians at Saanich Sunday next. It seems they are dissatisfied with their present chief and are considering the advisability of nominating a new and better man to look after their interests. Bishop Lemmens, who will be in that vicinity then, has promised to address them with some good advice on the situation.

Work Commenced.

Workmen commenced on the superstructure of the new Driard House today when several of the ponderous iron columns were put in place. It is expected that the work will be pushed rapidly as long as the fine weather lasts. The old kitchen place has been torn down and the chef has been relegated to another corner in a temporary structure while the new one is being built.

Firemen Photographed.

The fire department of Victoria is going to present itself with a photograph of itself. J. Savannah has secured a splendid picture of the group, numbering twenty-eight figures, arranged according to rank. It will make a really fine picture, the negative measuring 16x20. The chief, captains and men appear in uniform, wearing badges as they received their visiting brethren on the occasion of the visiting tournament.

Land to be Sold.

As announced by advertisement, Mr. G. Byrnes will to-morrow offer for sale by auction several fine pieces of property in Esquimalt district, on what is known as Langford Plains. They include section 99, containing 114 acres, and the adjoining section, 118, containing 143 acres, which takes in Florence Lake. These two blocks for purposes of recreation, or for a house or farming are the finest situated property on Vancouver Island. There will also be sold at the same time four blocks fronting on Langford Lake, about 32 acres in each. Also two blocks of land, 100 acres each, section 67, 68, and section 112 A. All these lands are in Esquimalt district.

Their First Meeting.

In the Sunday school room of the First Presbyterian Church last evening, the Young People's Literary Association held their first meeting of the winter season. After the disposal of business connected with the coming season, they elected officers. The new officers are: President, W. C. Douglas; 1st Vice-President, Miss Tyson; 2nd Vice-President, J. Cochrane; Secretary, J. T. Lake; Treasurer, Miss Robertson; Editor of the Irresponsible, J. M. Douglas; Assistant Editor, Miss McCandless. They will be installed next Monday evening. The meetings of this institution, held every week last winter, were a source of much amusement, and a benefit to the members. The membership has been steadily increasing, and with the additional number have been added numerous ways of passing evenings profitably.

A Somewhat Different Story.

The stewards and firemen from the Empress of China who remained over in the city on Wednesday proceeded eastward Wednesday. It appears the firemen of the party were to blame for the trouble which occurred on the train. They had been drinking and carousing on the train ever since leaving Vancouver. Robt. Crichton, storekeeper and purser clerk, and Harry Taylor one of the stewards, called at the Free Press office yesterday and said they were the two men who were compelled to leave the train at McGregor and Austin. Crichton requested the brakeman to keep order among the firemen, whereupon the latter set upon him and pommelled him so badly that he stopped off at McGregor, being afraid of more serious violence if he proceeded further. At Austin Taylor was shoved from the train by one of the firemen as it was starting off, and received a black eye. There were thirty-two stewards and 46 firemen on board, and Mr. Crichton says up to the time of reaching Winnipeg the stewards had not touched a drop of liquor, the firemen being to blame for the row. The attack made upon himself and Taylor was entirely unprovoked.—Winnipeg Free Press.

"Pet" Mair Dead.

Chas. Mair, a journeyman compositor, familiarly known all over the coast among the printing fraternity as "Pet" Mair, who had been in the city for two or three weeks, met with a severe fall the other day, and was taken to the hospital. It was there ascertained that his skull was seriously fractured, and to-day poor "Pet" ended his wanderings, having never recovered consciousness after the accident which proved fatal to him. A brother of the deceased, living in Portland, Oregon, was communicated with by telegraph shortly after the accident, and is now on his way to this city. The deceased also had brothers and other relatives living in Napanee, Ontario, where he was born about 33 years ago. Mair Bros., Napanee, are proprietors of a large iron foundry, and the brother living in Portland, Or., is also understood to be engaged successfully in the same business. The funeral of the late Chas. Mair, it is expected, will take place on Monday, probably under the auspices of the Typographical Union, of which deceased was a member. "Pet" Mair's untimely end will be lamented by the printing craft all over the coast, with whom, on account of his kindly and cheerful disposition, he was a general favorite. "Pet" was, in the significant language of the craft, "a white man," and he had no enemy but himself.—Westminster Columbian.

We are making special low prices for exhibition week only, commencing today, Saturday. Macaulay & Higginbottom, 74 Yates street.

Purest jams—Okell & Morris.

Honorably Discharged.

William Walters, who was brought up before the police magistrate yesterday on a charge of vagrancy, was discharged by Mr. Belyea, as it was shown that Walters was not guilty of the offence.

The police magistrate, in dismissing the charge, said that it appeared the police had acted upon information they had received, believing it to be true, but that it had been proved not to be true and the defendant had been shown to be a man ready to work and that he had given satisfaction to his employers. There appeared to be a misapprehension as to what constituted vagrancy. A man was not obliged to work, so long as he did no wrong, and a man was not necessarily a vagrant because he did not work. He might not be able to get work, or he might get work that did not suit him, and a man was the best judge as to what work he was best adapted for. On the other hand a man might be criminally busy. He might be a beggar and be constantly employed in begging, but he was a vagrant for all that, not because he was not working, but because he was begging.

The Largest Single Payment for Life Insurance in B. C.

To Messrs. Heisterman & Co., Gen'l Agents the Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York.

GENTLEMEN—I beg to acknowledge Company's check on 1st National Bank, N.Y., in the sum of $40,536.65 in full payment of Insurance and Additions under policies 18,214, 170,475, 170,897, 202,726, 220,081, 413,386, 416,779, 425,863 and 430,537, on the life of my father, the late Edgar Marvin.

Especially do I desire to thank the Company for their honorable and just treatment of claim under Policy 413,386 for $5000 upon which the premium was due and unpaid, at the time of my father's death, and which his illness prevented his paying.

It was this liberal and equitable treatment of its Policy-holders by the Company during the 35 years since he first insured in the Mutual, which caused by father to insure so largely with you.

Such generous treatment at the hands of the Company *after his death* justifies his faith in the old Mutual while he lived.

WM. T. MARVIN,
Executor.

Victoria, B.C., Oct. 1st, 1891.

Buel's New Book.

Another sensation has been caused in book circles by the publication of "Heroes of Unknown Seas and Savage Lands," by J. W. Buel the famous author. The book is ahead of anything of the kind which has been published yet. It is another triumph for the distinguished author, and his rare judgment in hitting the public taste is shown in the enormous demand which has greeted the announcement of its publication. The stories of the Buccaneers, the terrible era when the Black Flag of No Quarter was master of the high seas, the discovery of America by the Norsemen, 500 years before the birth of Columbus, the mysterious legends upon which early history is based, the discoveries, heroic exploits and thrilling adventures of travelers and voyagers in many lands and in different ages, are alive with interest, and the English speaking world will read this wonderful new book with unfeigned delight. Such a book with such magnificent illustrations and at such a price cannot help sweeping the country by storm. The History Company of San Francisco, the great pioneer book house of the west, want live agents to take orders in this community.

Hardly Complimentary.

In the September number of "All the World," a Salvation Army publication, appears a lengthy article on the life and work of Alice Grayson, Canada's first woman district orderly in the army, who has command in British Columbia and Alberta. The sketch was evidently written at Toronto, and briefly describes Miss Grayson's work in the Dominion, and particularly in British Columbia. Speaking of Victoria it says: "Victoria is the largest corps, and now boasts of a brass band. Half the population are Chinamen, but the army find that the other half are quite of the class we are after." This is a remarkable statement, and it is to be hoped that all the lady visitors here do not carry away such an erroneous impression. The blunder seems to have been made by the editor of the magazine, and not by Capt. Grayson. It is, however, not so very much worse than the egregious error of the Dominion census enumerators, who couldn't guess within 9000 of the correct figures of the city's population. "All the World" is as badly informed on the geography as on the ethnography of British Columbia, for it represents Captain Grayson as saying, "Calgary, a city built on a prairie, is 640 miles from Vancouver. It supplies food to the different ranches round. I went there from Victoria, which is a little nearer."

Esquimalt Dry Dock.

Mr. Thomas McNaught, writing to the London Chronicle, says:—Sixteenments were made at the commencement of the Canadian revelations about the contract for the construction of the graving dock at Esquimalt. I expected more to have followed, but as yet it has not been forthcoming. I visited this naval station on the Pacific Coast in the autumn of 1888, and my feelings were those of amazement at what I saw. I had then in my mind the large sums that were reported to have been expended by the Imperial and Dominion Governments on that naval station and in the construction of a "large dry dock." I saw a natural land locked harbor, with ships at anchor, a wooden landing stage in disrepair close to two public houses, some wooden barricades behind, a large leaky dock, the water not percolating but welling up through the bottom, thus indicating the faulty construction of the dock. There was general untidiness in the surroundings. It appeared impossible to me that the formation of the naval station and construction of the dock could have amounted to the sums stated. I am persuaded that something is wrong somewhere. Besides, the present condition of this naval station is entirely unworthy of the traditions of the British Empire. General Middleton, the then commander of the Canadian forces, was visiting the Pacific slope at the time I was there. I believe he reported, among other matters, on the defenceless condition of this naval station. I do not know what report he may have given on the graving dock, if in its favor it was untrustworthy and unreliable. It would be desirable that the Government of the Dominion should direct their attention to this graving dock and the general condition of the naval station.

Claim Salvage.

Mr. A. P. Peacock, solicitor for the Upton line of steamers, has put in a claim of $10,000 against the schooner Fannie Dutard for salvage, and a summons will be served as soon as she comes off the ways. It is understood that the necessary security will be given to release her. The claim is for towing the schooner to this port after she had been run down by the steamer Zambesi.

Her Face Her Fortune.

Is commonly said of famous beauties. She who uses with artistic taste Wisdom's Famous Robertine has fortune in the possessing of a complexion to which nothing but the blush of the rose or the freshness of the lily can be compared. This preparation is just what it is claimed to be—the most delightful toilet article and only perfect beautifier known. Read the testimonials from famous artists, celebrated chemists and eminent physicians. D. E. Campbell, gent.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

Tug Pilot towed the bark Callao to sea this afternoon.

Steamer Barbara Boscowitz left for the north this morning.

Steamer Thistle arrived in this morning, deeply laden from Coast ports.

The U. S. survey steamer McArthur has left for a continuation of her work among the islands.

Steamer R. P. Rithet has been kept very busy the past week carrying grain and hay from Fraser River ports.

Steamer Rainbow has been put on the New Westminster route so as to give more available tonnage to deal with the grain shipments.

Charges of cruelty have been made by one of the apprentices, Sydney T. Stone, against Captain George Adams of the British ship Andrada, but recently arrived at San Francisco. The lad says the captain is in the habit of beating him, and has also struck him with a knife. The British Consul will investigate.

When the blood is out of condition disease is the inevitable result. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills supply the constituents necessary to enrich the blood and build up the nerves. They cure suppressions, irregularities, debility, etc. Good for men and women, young and old. Sold by all dealers or sent on receipt of price (50c. a box). Dr. Williams Med. Co., Brockville, Ont.

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In Dress Tweeds we have a fair assortment still on the shelves, although the run on these goods has been very great. First-class Dressmaking on the premises.
Nice assortment of Furs in the latest styles for children and ladies.
Art Silks, Sateens, Ponpons, Embroidery and Rope Silks, Knitting Silks, in all the newest art shades.
We cannot attempt to enumerate all our departments, give us a call and inspect for yourselves, and see if our prices are not as low as the lowest.
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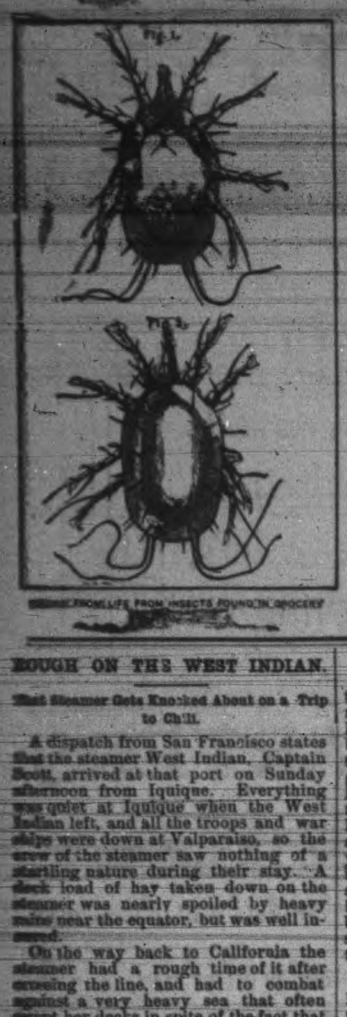

MONSTERS FROM LIFE FROM INSECTS FOUND IN SUGARY

In view of the introduction to the Province recently of considerable quantities of Chinese Sugars, it may be as well that the Public should be informed, on the very highest possible authority, of the danger that may be attendant upon their use.

Professor Cameron, Public Analyst, Dublin, a gentleman who has made it his special business to examine all kinds of Foreign Sugars, Refined and other, says that certain kinds of them should never be used. He states that they contain great numbers of DISGUSTING INSECTS, which produce a DISGUSTING DISEASE. Their shape is very accurately shown in the accompanying cut, which is magnified two hundred diameters. Figure 1 is the under side, and Figure 2 the upper. The Professor's description is as follows:—

"This insect ('the Acarus Sacchari') is a formidably organized, exceedingly lively, and decidedly ugly little animal. From its oval-shaped body stretches forth a proboscis terminating in a kind of scissors, with which it seizes its food. Its organs of locomotion consist of eight legs, each jointed and furnished at its extremity with a hook. In the Sugar its movements from one place to another are necessarily very slow, but when placed on a perfectly clean and dry surface, it moves along with great rapidity." He adds that the number of "Acari" found in Unrefined Sugar is "sometimes exceedingly great, and in no instance is the article quite free from either the insects or their eggs." He further says:—"The Acari Sacchari" do not occur in Refined Sugar of any quality, because they cannot pass through the charcoal filters of the Refinery, and because Refined Sugar does not contain any nitrogenous substance upon which they can feed."

COOLIE - MADE - AND - ALL - UNREFINED - SUGARS - SHOULD - NEVER - BE - USED!

Besides its being impossible for Canadian Labor to compete with Coolie Labor, rice fed and under paid, it is well known that Eastern Countries have always been the breeding ground for leprosy and all other loathsome and horrible human diseases, and hand labor there is so cheap that there is no inducement to employ machinery. Home Refined Sugar, on the contrary, is never touched by the human hand from the moment it reaches the refiner until it leaves him a perfectly safe and purified article.

Use, therefore, Only Home Refined Sugars; They Are Absolutely Unadulterated, Pure and Cheap.

ROUGH ON THE WEST INDIAN.

That Steamer Gets Knocked About on a Trip to Chili.

A dispatch from San Francisco states that the steamer West Indian, Captain Scott, arrived at that port on Sunday afternoon from Iquique. Everything was quiet at Iquique when the West Indian left, and all the troops and war ships were down at Valparaiso, so the crew of the steamer saw nothing of a startling nature during their stay. A deck load of hay taken down on the steamer was nearly spoiled by heavy rains near the equator, but was well insured.

On the way back to California the steamer had a rough time of it after crossing the line, and had to combat against a very heavy sea that often swept her decks in spite of the fact that she was in ballast. About five days before she reached San Diego a very heavy sea broke over the port bow and swept the decks fore and aft.

Mr. Lock, chief officer of the vessel, was forward at the time, and the immense volume of water carried him aft and dashed him against one of the boats, knocking him senseless.

The boat was torn from its davits and landed on the after part of the deck by the wheel, while tons of water poured down the cabin and engine-rooms.

It is probable that the West Indian will trade between San Francisco and Victoria.

One of Life's Burdens.

The medical practitioner of Canada will tell you that one of the most prevalent and most common ailments of the present day is Indigestion. There are few individuals who have not experienced it oftener than once in their lives. Indigestion is an ailment that develops other serious and dangerous troubles, unless it is attended to with promptness. The ordinary Indigestion arises, for the most part, from overloading the stomach with food, or it may result from partaking too freely of wine, spirits or other intoxicating liquors.

Continued or chronic Indigestion may depend on debility or want of tone of the stomach, or it may be caused by the lining or mucous membrane of this organ being in a state of irritation or chronic inflammation.

One of the most common causes of Indigestion is not masticating the food we eat properly. Another cause is habitual inattention to diet, both as regards the quality and quantity of food, and irregularity in the times of eating.

Indigestion may result from other causes, such as insufficient exercise and impure air. Besides these there are numberless other causes which, in a greater or less degree, exercise their baneful influence upon this vital and all-important function of our natures.

It is well-known to the thousands who suffer from Indigestion, that hundreds of remedies are offered for the cure of this distressing complaint. In almost every case these remedies are worthless, and are prepared by parties whose sole aim is pecuniary greed and gain. Very few of these vile nostrums give even temporary relief.

Physicians themselves, have various formulæ and cure for Indigestion; in fact there are not two who agree upon the same form of treatment.

There is, however, one great remedy which is specially adapted for the cure of this terrible ailment, and to-day we find medical men recommending it with confidence; we refer to Paine's Celery Compound. The most obstinate cases of chronic Indigestion yield quickly to the mighty powers of this grand preparation.

Within the last year scores of men and women who had suffered for years, and whom the doctors could not cure, were restored to perfect health and digestive vigor through the use of Paine's Celery Compound, and their written testimonials are held as solid proofs of wonderful cures.

In ordinary cases of Indigestion one bottle will very often effect a cure. Try it, reader, and suffer no longer from this horrid and soul-depressing malady, which of itself is enough to make life miserable and unendurable.

For One Week.

D. Campbell & Co., the leading tailors, will offer for one week only, an extraordinary reduction in suits made to order. Observe the following bargains: $30 suits for $25; $35 suits for $30; $40 suits for $35. Pants from $3 to $2, formerly $10 to $14. This is the last chance for this season.

A Long-Felt Want to be Supplied.

Twenty more cottages to be built at once at James Bay on tram line. Easy terms.

5 at $900—$75 down, balance on time
5 at $1000—$100 " " "
5 at $1250—$150 " " "
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Perfect cooking "porridge pots" at McLennan & McFeely's.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

A Fiendish Tramp.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Oct. 5.—A tramp named Wm. Dowing was arrested last night for the murder of Mrs. Henry Cosert and her son Jopling, the burning of the bodies and of the victims' home and the robbery of $1000 in gold. The scene of the tragedy was in Raliegh county. The family was a thrifty one and lived in a solitary place. Mrs. Cosert had a great liking for gold and turned all she saved into it. For years she had been hoarding her savings at her home and had accumulated about $1,000. The charred remains of herself and son were found by a passer-by Saturday morning, who saw the smoking timbers of what was once their home.

A large stock of *Crossleys*, Wilton, Brussels and tapestry carpets for fall trade at Weiler Bros.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
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When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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Jim Lee Breaks Through a Custom and Causes Anger in Chinatown.

Not all Chinamen return to China. Some die in this country. This they do from no lack or desire to return to the "Flowery Kingdom," but because they couldn't help themselves, a large proportion of them have loafed too long, smoked too much opium and lost too much at the gambling table. Their recklessness in this respect is heightened by the consolation they derive from the assurance that if they die in this country their bones will be taken back to China. True to their promise, the live Chinamen have hitherto been in the habit of unearthing their bones, carefully scraping them and having them put in shape for shipment to China, no matter how bad the original owners of those bones have been in their life-time. What is more repugnant still, these very bones when brought to their destination, are put up where they can be worshipped. Their losses could have no more respect paid them than what is paid to these bones. It must not be thought that all this can be done without some expense. In fact, considerable money is spent annually on the bones both before and after they have been dug up. Indeed, so much money do they spend on dead Chinamen that they seem to have little left for the improvement of the live ones. The sick are not cared for. The children are not educated. All the disciples of Confucius put together in this province have not brought over a religious teacher from China or a properly qualified physician. The youths are not warned by them to keep away from the thirty or more gambling hells in Chinatown. No effort is put forth to have the keepers of these dens arrested, but if one of them should be arrested by death, then his bones must be carefully packed and sent home to China. The funds for this purpose have hitherto been raised by subscriptions ranging from $5 upwards. Every Chinaman so far before leaving this country has contributed towards this bone fund, thus resolving themselves into this ludicrous position—a man leaving this country in the flesh to pay $5, one leaving in the bone to have $5 paid for him. This was done by all until it came to a young man who left for a visit to his parents on the Empress of China Sunday evening. His name is Jim Lee, and he is a very intelligent Chinaman, one who has acquired more enlightened ideas through a knowledge of Christianity, having been a member of the Methodist Chinese Mission in this city for several years, and through observing the ways of the white people, having been in the service of Mr. W. H. Ellis, whom he served both faithfully and well. He refused to comply with their demand for the $5, giving them full reasons why he did so, adding that if at any time the case of a sick man or an aged person stricken with poverty should be brought to his notice he would gladly give him $5 or even more. This did not satisfy them, and when the young man reached the tender for the China boat, he found a score or more of Chinamen at the same place for the purpose of intimidating him, hoping by this means to extort the required amount from him. But Jim was resolute. At this point they resorted to unlawful means. After scattering many unkind epithets over his head, they laid hands on him and dragged him back to Chinatown. Among those interested in these cowardly proceedings were some well known denizens of Chinatown, whose names have been duly noted. Though placed in a very uncomfortable position, Jim remained firm, and but for the timely appearance of a friend would have lost his boat. With what this friend said and the threats that the missionary would be sent for, they weakened and allowed the young man to depart with the $5 after all not paid. It is understood that the Chinese in the province who have embraced Christianity are determined to take a firm stand in the matter, and should force be resorted to in compelling the next Chinese person leaving for home to contribute towards this foolish fund, the law will be appealed to, and arrests may follow. They believe more good would be done by teaching and exhorting live Chinamen to lead better lives, in order that if they so desire they may return to their native land, than by waiting until they have died before caring for them. Moreover, they do not believe in worshipping their live countrymen, much less the dead ones.

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on account of sickness. I believe the disease is expelled from my system, I always feel well, am in good spirits and have a good appetite. I am now 27 years of age and can walk as well as any one, except that one limb is a little shorter than the other, owing to the loss of bone, and the sores formerly on my right leg. To my friends my recovery seems almost miraculous, and I think Hood's Sarsaparilla is the king of medicines." WILLIAM A. LEER, 9 N. Railroad St., Kendallville, Ind.

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GEORGE DOGHERTY.

Victoria, August 6th, 1891. au7-1m

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The Annual Exhibition of the North and South Saanich Agricultural Society will be held on

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OCTOCER 8 AND 9.

The Exhibition, open to the world, will begin on the 8th, Horse Racing on the 8th, Ball and Supper on the evening of the 8th. Tickets to Ball, $2.00.

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NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS OF GARESCHE, GREEN & Co., Bankers, will be carried on without interruption by the Trustees of the Estate.

F. H. WORLOCK, J. B. CHANTRELL, Trustees

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NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I SHALL not be responsible for any debts contracted without my written authority.

W. F. TOLMIE.

Victoria, Sept. 2, 1891. se2-tf

NOTICE.

Sechart Quicksilver Mineral Claim.

TAKE NOTICE that we, William Ethridge, Free Miner's Certificate No. 29,043, and James Germansen, Free Miner's Certificate 29,044, intend, 60 days from the date hereof, to apply to the Gold Commissioner for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim, and further take notice that adverse claims must be sent to the Gold Commissioner, and action commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 27th day of August, 1891.

WILLIAM ETHRIDGE, JAMES GERMANSEN.

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NOTICE.

The Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Co'y.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF the shareholders will be held at the Company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 7th day of October next at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated September 1st, 1891.

CHAS. E. POOLEY, Secretary.

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NOTICE.

The Union Colliery Company of British Columbia (Limited Liability.)

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF the stockholders will be held at the Company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 7th day of October next at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated September 1st, 1891.

CHAS. E. POOLEY, Secretary.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership heretofore existing between S. F. McIntosh and J. W. Endean, as lumber dealers in the city of Victoria, B.C., is this day mutually dissolved. All outstanding accounts due the firm of McIntosh & Endean will be receipted for by the said S. F. McIntosh, and all accounts owing by the said firm of McIntosh & Endean will be paid by the said S. F. McIntosh.

Signed and sealed in the city of Victoria, B. C., this 28th day of September, 1891.

Signed, S. F. McINTOSH. J. W. ENDEAN.

Signed in the presence of GEORGE MARTYN. se29

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

BE IT KNOWN that the co-partnership existing between J. S. Bowker, jr., and F. W. Smith under the firm name of Bowker & Smith, doing real estate business at 28½ Broad street, is hereby dissolved, J. S. Bowker, jr., retiring and F. W. Smith assuming liabilities as per schedule.

(Signed) J. S. BOWKER, JR. F. W. SMITH.

Witnesses: MALCOLM McLEOD. M. MADDUP.

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TO PROVINCIAL ARCHITECTS.

The British Columbia Board of Trade Building Committee invite plans for a proposed building, to be erected on Lots 10 and 11, Block 77, Bastion Street, Victoria, B. C.

Plans to be delivered at the Secretary's office, Bank of B. C. Building, before 12 o'clock noon, October 26th, 1891.

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WEATHER REPORT.

VICTORIA, B. C., October 6, 1891.
Corrected by Mr. F. C. Gamble, C. E.

Time.	Thermometer.	Bar.	Wind.	Remarks.
8 a.m.	61	30.15	N E	Clear
10 a.m.	73	30.09	N W	Fair
2 p.m.	50	30.10	"	Clear
4 p.m.	65	30.14	N W	Dense Fog
8 p.m.	61	30.15	N E	Clear

Temperature—Highest, 65; lowest, 45.

TIDE RECORD—VICTORIA HARBOR, B.C.
For 24 hours ending 1 p.m. Oct. 6, 1891.

Monday, Oct. 5.				Tuesday, Oct. 6.			
h.	Tide ft above datum.	h.	Tide ft above datum.	h.	Tide ft above datum.	h.	Tide ft above datum.
1	6.68	8	3.66	1	3.16	8	5.83
2	8.75	9	2.90	2	4.07	9	5.75
3	8.92	10	2.00	3	4.92	10	5.50
4	6.92	11	2.00	4	5.66	11	5.50
5	6.50	12	2.50	5	5.75	12	5.66
6	5.66			6	5.33	1	6.16
7	4.75			7	5.83		

CAPTAIN ALEX. MCLEAN.

A Dispatch Received From the Captain of of the Hamilton G. Lewis.

Mrs. A. McLean, wife of Capt. Alex. McLean, of the sealing schooner Hamilton G. Lewis, seized off Copper Island by the Russian authorities, has received a cable dispatch from her husband, who is now at Vladivostock. The Captain says he is well and will be home next month. This news will be good tidings for his friends, who had been picturing the Captain in all kinds of Russian prisons. It is evident, however, from the tenor of the dispatch, that the schooner and all her belongings have been seized.

It will be remembered that Captain McLean was shot by Russian officials while, it is supposed, he was raiding the seal islands. The schooner and crew were taken to Vladivostock, but nothing has yet been learned as to what punishment was meted out to the offenders.

BRIEF LOCALS.

One Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

Jams and jellies pure—Okell & Morris.

New Autumn Dress Goods, Plain and Fancy, at the City House.

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The steamer R. P. Rithet will take a carload of coal oil over to the Mainland to-morrow, shipped by the R. P. Rithet Co., Ltd., of this city.

Simpson's ben ton tailoring parlors, 38 Government street. Dress suits a specialty.

Young Ladies Institute, No. 33 meets this evening in the bishop's palace, at eight o'clock.

Firemens tournament low prices this week, Linn Clothing Store, 74 Yates street. Try them.

People say the Dominion Hotel is the place for a 25 cent meal. Twenty-one meal tickets for $4.50.

At the fair last week Mr. J. Whitfield, Cook street, had an exhibit of fall apples of remarkable size. One of these measured 14¾ inches in circumference—a mammoth in the apple line. Mr. Whitfield feels considerably aggrieved that his exhibit failed to get a prize, or even "honorable mention," to which it was certainly entitled.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere.

THE TURF

YESTERDAY'S RACING.

It might be said that the only feature of the races at the park yesterday was their general crookedness, and as a result there was dissatisfaction. Quite a number of people went out to witness the deciding heat in the trotting race, in which Rose C was a strong favorite. When it was known that Harry Stone was put behind her, betting went up on her as a sure winner. She held her place in the lead during the two rounds with the exception of about 150 to 200 yards from home when she broke. Hero had been almost distanced during the race, but pulled up and passed the mare under the wire. Time 2.29.

The next heat was worse than the preceding one, Rosie palpably giving the race to Hero, and Stone her driver was openly accused of pulling. The judges declared no race and all bets off. It may be said that the race between the horse Joe Wynne and Gibson the runner was a stupid "fake," a disgraceful ending to a series of disgraceful acts.

BELLE WATTS VS. ROSIE C.

Tom Gannon's Belle Watts and Clancy Bros.' Rosie C have been matched for $500 a side. $100 having been deposited with Frank Campbell last evening. The race, which is to be the best three out of five, mile heats, will take place at one o'clock on Thursday.

THE GREAT TROTTING RACE.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Oct. 6.—The excitement over the coming $10,000 race between Nelson and Allerton next Thursday, is on the increase. Nelson and his owner arrived last night, and Allerton will be here in the morning. Hotel lobbies are crowded. That it will be an honest race for blood and the trotting model of the season all admit.

NOTES.

Marcus Daly owns more racers and trotters than any other man in the world.

The get of imported stallions have been trump cards on the American turf this season.

A match is on the tapis between Allerton, 2:09¼, and Nelson, 2:10.

Allerton is again champion stallion of the world, he having trotted a mile in 2.09¼ at Independence.

Two 2-year-old colts by Electioneer, have entered the 2.30 list this year. They are Arion, 2.25½, and Starlight, 2.26½.

Sir Tatton Sykes sold four yearlings at Tattersall's Doncaster sales this year and they averaged $11,875 apiece. Three were colts respectively by Hampton, Isonomy and St. Simon, and one a filly by Isonomy.

There are two distinct classes of trotting horses; one is bred for speed regardless of style, the other for style combined with a fair share of speed. The one class is bred for the race course, the other for the road. It is that the breeding is done with an eye to the production of trotters mainly, and that when the horses grow up they are put to the service for which they are best fitted. There is no such thing as breeding for speed regardless of style. It is speed first and style afterward, unless a man has a horse with much style and little speed—that man is certain to be an enthusiast on the subject of style. A man is very apt to be governed by his strongest motives.

Now there will be music in the air, Allerton dethroned Nelson from the trotting throne by lowering the world's record to 2:10, the pride of Maine has gone and done likewise, and so the houses of Williams and Nelson are enjoying a divided honor, both horses ranking equal in the official records.

Nelson did the trick at Grand Rapids, Mich., on Friday, in the presence of ten thousand people and according to the watches of a good many experienced horsemen present, the mile was trotted a fraction faster than announced, but the watches of the official timers stopped at 2:10, and that was official. No doubt a keen effort will be made both by Williams and Nelson to chip at any rate a fraction off that mark, and if the weather should remain favorable for a couple or three weeks it is likely to be accomplished. Both horses are in great shape, and it is not too much to expect that two such artists as Nelson and Williams will with two more weeks' work, be able, climatic conditions being favorable, to improve a little on the 2:10. It may be taken for granted that every nerve will be strained towards accomplishing it, inasmuch as the title of champion trotting stallion is a substantial honor, that brings thousands of extra dollars to the coffers of the owner.

The story started by the N. Y. Herald about Hollingsworth robbing Daly of $100,000 turns out to be a mastodonic lie, something manufactured out of whole cloth for a purpose known perhaps only to the reporter who unravelled it. The only truthful part of it is the statement that he was a partner with Daly in his big gambling establishment in New York. Instead, however, of stealing money out of the safe and daring his partner to arrest him, he dissolved partnership with him in a friendly way, received from Mr. Daly what was due him and went out. A good lively libel suit for a big amount will be entered against the New York daily Romancer, so soon as Mr. Hollingsworth's solicitor returns to New York.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

W. Townley, of New Westminster, is in town.

R. P. Rithet left for San Francisco this morning.

M. Rounds, of Chemainus, has left for California.

E. L. Sandford, of Seattle, came over this morning.

Chief Delaney, of the Port Townsend police, is in town.

M. Lenz and bride returned home last evening from California.

Mrs. T. Deasy left for San Francisco by the City of Puebla this morning.

Capt. Robert McKiel, of the schooner Maud S., goes east to-morrow night on a business trip.

E. H. Fletcher, postoffice inspector, and Mrs. Fletcher, are on the City of Puebla bound south.

Mrs. J. Eckersley and family returned last evening from a trip through the Eastern States.

F. W. Vincent, assistant manager of the C. P. N. Company, and Miss Vincent, are up north on a trip.

George H. Wymark, general agent of the Upton line of steamers, and Mrs. Wymark, are at the Driard.

Capt. Wm. Petit, of the schooner Mary Taylor, was a passenger for San Francisco by the City of Puebla to-day.

Rev. A. Beanlands, M.A., rector of Christ Church Cathedral, will leave in a few weeks on a trip to the old country.

His Lordship Bishop Lemmens returned from his monthly visit to Sooke yesterday. He officiated there during Sunday.

Colin Cameron, agent for the Manchester Fire Insurance Company, has been appointed manager for British Columbia of the Union Mutual Company of Portland, Me.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the copartnership heretofore existing between William W. Petri and John Cook has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will hereafter be carried on at the old stand, Delmonico Hotel, by William W. Petri and William R. Jackson, under the name and style of Petri and Jackson, who will discharge all liabilities of the firm of Petri and Cook.
Dated 29th September, 1891.
WILLIAM W. PETRI,
JOHN COOK,
WILLIAM R. JACKSON.
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FUNERAL NOTICE.

MEMBERS OF VANCOUVER AND Quadra Lodge, No. 2, A. F. & A. M., are requested to meet at the Masonic Temple, Douglas street, on Thursday, Oct. 8th, at 2 p.m. sharp for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Brother Thomas Martin.
Members of Victoria-Columbia Lodge No. 1, and sojourning brethren in good standing are cordially invited to attend.
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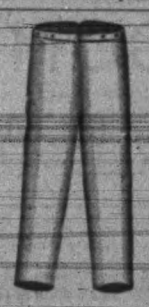

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